

## **Governor's Goals and Strategies**

### **I Goal**

Set Kentucky on the path to achieving economic opportunity and a standard of living above the national average in 20 years.

### **II Strategies**

#### **A Promoting Economic Development**

1. Workers Comp
2. Regional Industrial Park
3. Statewide Infrastructure Improvements
4. Renaissance Kentucky
5. Transportation and Planning Infrastructure
6. Tourism Tax Credits
7. Forestry Initiative
8. Water Resources Plan
9. KY Appalachian Commission
10. Military Affairs Commission
11. Skills Training Tax Credit
12. Venture Capital Fund
13. UI Tax Restructuring
14. Environmental Initiatives
15. Appalachian Action Strategy
16. Women's Business Council
17. Cultural and Heritage Development

#### **B Improving Education Product**

1. Postsecondary Education Reform
2. KERA Adjustments
3. Budget Increases for Elementary and Secondary
4. Schools Safety Initiative
5. Guaranteed COLA for Teachers
6. Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarships
7. Adult Education Task Force
8. Education Pays Campaign
9. Family Literacy Center
10. Teacher Quality

#### **C Building Self-Sustaining Families**

1. Early Childhood Development
2. Welfare Reform
3. Children's Health Initiative
4. Women's Health Initiative
5. Child Abuse and Domestic Violence Services
6. Health Insurance Reform
7. Reductions in Teen Smoking
8. Child Protective Services
9. Affordable Housing Initiatives
10. Sustaining Farm Families and Tobacco Settlements
11. Smart Growth Strategy

- 12. Minority Action Initiatives
- D Strengthening Efficiency and Operations of Government
  - 1. Budget Principles
  - 2. EMPOWER Kentucky
  - 3. Technology Infrastructure in State Government and Schools
  - 4. Tax Fairness
  - 5. Personnel Reforms
  - 6. Promoting Diversity
  - 7. Collective Bargaining
- E Reducing Crime and Its Costs to Society
  - 1. Criminal Justice System
  - 2. Juvenile Justice Plan
  - 3. Corrections Improvements
  - 4. Enhanced Penalties for Hate Crimes
  - 5. Strengthened Law Enforcement
  - 6. Prescription Drug Tracking Initiative